

## **SD Program of Study**

## Animal Systems Pathway

This plan of study should serve as a guide, along with other career planning materials, as you continue your career path. Courses listed within this plan are only recommended coursework and should be individualized to meet each learner's educational and career goals. All plans should meet high school graduation requirements as well as college entrance requirements.

	GRADE	English	Math	Science	Social Studies/ Sciences	SD Required Electives	Career & Technical Education Courses	SAMPLE Career Options Relating to This Pathway
	Interest Inventory Administered and Plan of Study Initiated for all Students							
ARY	9	* English I	* Algebra I	* Physical Science	* World History	* PE/Health	Introduction to Agriculture, Food, and Natural Resources	Occupations Requiring Postsecondary Education  Animal Caretaker - Poultry Manager  Aquaculturalist  Artificial Insemination Technician  Dairy Producer  Equine Manager  Feed Sales Representative
					* Geography	* Fine Art Elective	Leadership and Personal Development	
	10	* English II	* Geometry	* Biology I ❖		2 units total - any combination of:	*Fundemental Animal Science	
						* World Language or	Agriscience	
Ã	Academic/Career Advisement Provided - College Placement Assessments						<ul><li>► Livestock Buyer</li><li>► Livestock Inspector</li></ul>	
SECONDARY	11	* English III	* Algebra II	* Chemistry ❖	* American History	* Computer Studies or	† * Advanced Animal Science	➤ Livestock Producer  ➤ Veterinary Assistant Occupations Requiring Baccalaureate Degree  ➤ Agricultural Educator  ➤ Animal Nutritionist  ➤ Livestock Geneticist  ➤ Meat Science Researcher  ➤ Physiologist
						Approved Career & Technical Education	Companion Animals	
	12	* English IV	Calculus	College Science Elective	* U.S. Government	* Personal Finance or * Economics	† Agriculture Biotechnology	
					* Psychology		*Capstone Experience	
The g	eneral	neral course identified in this Program of Study are those required as part of S.D. Advanced Pathway to Graduation.						► Wildlife Biologist
X	Year 13	Written and Oral Communications	College Level Math	Natural Sciences	Social Studies/ Sciences	Computer Literacy		➤ USDA Inspector ➤ Veterinarian
POSTSECONDARY	Year 14	Written Communications	Information Literacy			Wellness for Life Arts & Humanities		
	Year 15							
PC	Year 16							
<b>▼Blue Text - College Level - Dual Credit The Text - Courses can be articulated to Postsecondary Education Underlined Text - Industry Certification Available</b> * Classes available through Virtual School    * Recommended academic								